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27 September 1985

Ms. Barbara Harris and Mr. Richard Rossi  
Co-Chairmen, Congressional Youth Leadership Council  
1511 K Street, N.W.  
Suite 842  
Washington, DC 20005

Dear Ms. Harris and Mr. Rossi:

Thank you for inviting CIA Deputy Director John McMahon to address the Congressional Youth Leadership Council for high school students sometime this fall in Washington.

Mr. McMahon has asked me to convey his regrets. Mr. McMahon receives so many invitations to address high school, college, and graduate-level students that he has found it impossible to honor them all and has, consequently, limited his acceptance to college audiences.

We do, however, wish you well in educating these outstanding students in the functioning of the U.S. Government. Enclosed with our compliments are copies of our brochures Intelligence: The Acme of Skill and the CIA Fact Book.

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

George V. Lauder  
Director, Public Affairs

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*Thanks,*



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August 30, 1985

John McMahon  
Deputy Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, DC 20505

Dear Mr. McMahon:

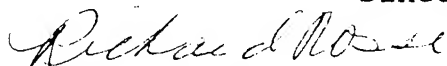
This fall the Congressional Youth Leadership Council is sponsoring the National Young Leaders Conference, a non-political event that will bring over a five week period a total of 1600 outstanding young men and women representing over 1000 high schools nationwide, to Washington, D.C. Chosen by their school principals to participate in the Conference, they represent the best and the brightest of today's youth - tomorrow's leaders - all of whom are at or near voting age. The enclosed tentative schedule provides a glimpse of the scope and intent of our planning.

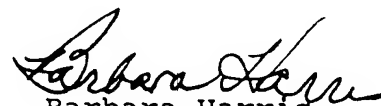
We know you share our concern for educating youth for responsible citizenship and join us in promoting active involvement in democratic processes. For this reason it is our great pleasure to invite you to address the Congressional Scholars during one of the fall conference weeks, at your convenience. Having someone of your prominence spend a short time with these young people would be an unforgettable experience. Your words would return with them to their home states and remain as they grow to become the leaders of tomorrow.

As educators, we can think of no greater service to our country and its "successor generation" than to inculcate an appreciation of our American heritage and democratic institutions. We very much hope you will join with us and have included an RSVP for your reply.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

  
Richard Rossi  
Co-Chairman

  
Barbara Harris  
Co-Chairman

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CONGRESSIONAL YOUTH LEADERSHIP COUNCIL  
NATIONAL YOUNG LEADERS CONFERENCE

REPLY MEMORANDUM

To: Richard Rossi & Barbara Harris  
Co-Chairmen

FROM:

John McMahon  
Deputy Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, DC 20505

YES, I accept your invitation to be a guest speaker at the  
National Young Leaders Conference.

I would prefer to participate during the following week(s):

- ☐ October 20 - 25 (220 participants)
- ☐ November 3 - 8 (225 participants)
- ☐ November 10 - 15 (252 participants)
- ☐ November 17 - 22 (495 participants)
- ☐ December 1- 6 (495 participants)

Please contact \_\_\_\_\_, Tel: \_\_\_\_\_  
to arrange a specific date, time and location.

☐ No, I cannot participate.

COMMENTS: